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SUBJ: PROPOSED ALABAMA IOGA TRADE MISSION

REF STATE 166728

1. EMB CONSIDERS JHK SYSTEMS INC TO BE APPROPRIATE PARTICIPANT  
IN SUBJ IOGA TRADE MISSION.

2. INFO OBTAINED FROM LOCAL PAPER MILLS AND REPS INDICATES  
GOOD MARKET POTENTIAL FOR LUMBER, WOOD PAPER AND PULP PROCESSING  
MACHINERY. THERE ARE NO LOCAL PRODUCERS OF PAPER AND PULP PRO-  
CESSING MACHINERY. ABOUT 14 PAPER MILLS ARE LOCATED IN CALI BOGOTA  
AND BARRANQUILLA OF WHICH ABOUT FIVE ARE PRODUCING CHEMICAL  
AND SEMI CHEMICAL WOOD PULP. IT SHOULD BE NOTED THAT THERE ARE TWO  
LOCAL PRODUCERS OF WOOD WORKING MACHINERY LOCATED IN BOGOTA,  
HURTADO HERMANOS AND FRANCO HERMANOS-OSMA, WHICH MANUFACTURE A WIDE  
RANGE OF MACHINERY SUCH AS CONTINUOUS  
BELT SAWS MOUNTED ON TABLES, BENCH CIRCULAR SAWS, PLANERS MATCHERS  
AND PLANERS SMOOTHING PLANERS, MILLING MACHINES WOOD BORERS  
MOUNTED ON PEDESTAL, LAT ERS MOUNTED ON PEDESTAL PRECIISON SHEARS,  
HORIZONTAL BELT SANDERS BELTS SHARPENING EQUIPMENT AND SAW SHARP-  
ENERS AND GRINDEI;  
BUT FIRMS APPARENTLY DO NOT SATISFY THE LOCAL  
DEMAND. IMPORT DUTIES FOR LUMBER AND WOOD WORKING MACHINERY ARE  
40 PERCENT AND 15 PERCENT OF CIF VALUE FOR PAPER AND PULP PROCESS-  
ING MACHINERY. VAKY

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